



April 10, 2017

Via Certified U.S. Mail and Email

National Freedom of Information Officer
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency
1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (2822T)
Washington, DC 20460

Re: Request for Authentication

Dear FOIA Officer:

Pursuant to 40 C.F.R. § 2.406, I am writing to request formal authentication of emails received in response to a Freedom of Information Act request. The request, which is attached here to as exhibit 1, was submitted to the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regarding: all EPA correspondence with the San Joaquin Valley Air Pollution Control District and the Bakersfield Crude Terminal LLC related to a notice of violation issued by EPA, to the Bakersfield Crude Terminal, Docket No. R9-15-08. EPA produced emails in response to the request for correspondence on March 30, 2017. These emails, which are the subject of this request for authentication, are attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

Please send a copy of the authentication of the emails contained in Exhibit 2 to ygarcia@earthjustice.org, and eforsyth@earthjustice.org, or by mail to 800 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 1000, Los Angeles, CA 90017.

Should you have any questions regarding, or suggestions for, facilitating this request, please contact me at the number below.

Sincerely,

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